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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHEASTERN DIVISION

GEORGE C. ESENSOY,	]	
	]	
Petitioner,	]	
	]	
v.	]	5:12-cv-2625-WMA-RRA
	]	
ALABAMA BOARD OF PARDONS	]	
AND PAROLES, et al.,	]	
	]	
Respondents.	]	

## **MEMORANDUM OPINION**

This is a habeas corpus petition. The magistrate judge entered a report and recommendation, recommending that the action be dismissed because it is a successive petition and the petitioner has not obtained the required authorization from the Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals to file a successive petition in this court. Objections have been filed.

The court has considered the entire file in this action, including the report and recommendation and the petitioner's objections to the report and recommendation, and has reached an independent conclusion that the report and recommendation is due to be adopted and approved.

Accordingly, the court hereby adopts and approves the findings and recommendation of the magistrate judge as the findings and conclusions of the court. This habeas petition is due to be dismissed, without prejudice, to allow the petitioner to obtain authorization from the Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals to file a successive petition in this court. An appropriate order will be entered.

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Done this 31st day of August, 2012.

WILLIAM M. ACKER, JR.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE